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Canadians And Stampers Play Scoreless Tie

Second Scoreless Game Played By These Two Clubs This Year. Many Scoring Opportunities Missed

500 shivering fans watched Calgary Stampers and Coleman Canadians play seventy minutes of scoreless hockey at the arena on Tuesday evening. This is the second scoreless game played between these two clubs this season.

As in their game against Turner Valley here two weeks ago, Canadians were anything but impressive.

While unlucky not to win, mainly the result of erratic shooting in front of the net, Canadians will never get any closer to losing a hockey game than on Tuesday night. Cam Burke facing an empty net from six feet out shot at least a foot wide of the goal. Burke would lose a good night's sleep on that boner. Two Calgary points sprouted wings when he missed that goal and Canadians never gave them a chance like it for the remainder of the game.

To-morrow night (Friday) Canadians face the league leading Lethbridge Maple Leafs. By winning at Drumheller Wednesday evening 3-2, Leafs have only one defeat chalked against them and that at the hands of Coleman. While they certainly have been in poor form during the past two home games, Canadians have the happy faculty of gathering their forces when playing against the Leafs and with their determination to lower the Leafian colors at all times a thrill-a-minute game is expected to please the huge crowd that is sure to be present.

VERY COLD THIS WEEK

After it gets to 20 below, as it did this week, a few more degrees makes little difference. Snow on Monday and Tuesday brought out the town snow plow for the first time this winter, but in three more months spring will begin to dispel the chill winds and the snow piles. Hardy youngsters at the rink brave the low temperatures and make light of the cold weather.

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Canadians Break Even on Trip Around Circuit

One win, one loss and one draw was the result of Canadians trip around the circuit last week when they visited Calgary, Edmonton and Olds.

Calgary, yet to win their first game in league competition, held Coleman to a scoreless tie. Hemming, in the Calgary net, is reported to have played a phenomenal game as he held Coleman at bay practically the entire evening.

At Edmonton, Canadians came from behind a two goal deficit in the first period to score two goals in each of the second and third periods, against a lone Edmonton counter three minutes from the final whistle, to coast home winners 4-3. Members of the local team are sore at the write-up given them by an Edmonton scribe. It would seem that he can't bear to see his team lose and can't give a visiting team credit for possessing the skill necessary for defeating his Eskimos.

What happened at Olds? A 6-0 trimming required explaining. One player stated that the score was out of proportion to the play. Olds happened to get the lead and in an effort to get it back Coleman started their five-man offense. It backfired not once, or twice, but several times, with the disastrous result of 6-0. A report from Olds gives Canadians credit for having as much of the play as Olds.

Turner Valley gained two points at the expense of this five-man offence last week. Olds did the same. It causes one to think that Coach Koryshuk should keep one man back to checkmate these breakaways and give some protection to Kemp.

Pass residents will be interested in knowing that the Texaco Nickel club had a cheering effect in many needy homes in the local community. Capt. Hewitt, of the Salvation Army, stated that \$85 was spent in hampers and dinners, together with articles of clothing and household necessities being distributed where needed.

Lethbridge Maple Leafs Play Here Friday

Lethbridge's league leading Maple Leafs make their initial appearance at the local arena to-morrow evening, (Friday). To date the Leafs have suffered only one defeat, and that at the hands of Coleman Canadians right in the Leafs own back yard. Each team has won and lost a game to each other so far this season.

Each team is expected to be at full strength for the game. So great is the rivalry between these two teams that their game reaches its peak as they try to outscore each other. Regardless of the fact that Leafs are bowling over all and sundry in the league, should they fall to Canadians they will lose caste in the eyes of their own supporters.

Reports that Kirkpatrick has suffered injury to his shoulder should not be taken too seriously by Pass fans. Leafs are far enough ahead that they can drop a game or two and still be in no danger. Kirkpatrick is a valuable player and a little rest now and then won't do him any harm. It's dollars to doughnuts that he will be in the line-up against Canadians, his shoulder miraculously healed.

Leafs appearance here will give Pass fans the opportunity of watching a real hockey machine in action, one that compares with the best in the Dominion. Reserve seat tickets are on sale at McBurney's Drug store. Don't miss this game, it's a natural.

K. Bator Trundles Perfect Game At 10 Pins

Aim of every bowler as he rolls the first ball down the alley that of rolling a perfect game, was realized by K. Bator when he made a perfect score of 300 in 10 pins.

This is the first time a perfect score has been made on the Grand Union Alleys, and probably the feat has never been equalled in the Pass.

In recognition of Bator's brilliant play the proprietor of the alleys will reward him with a handsome prize.

A Popular Young Lady



Miss Nellie DeCecco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeCecco, of Third street, who was one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of Miss Anne Spievak and Mr. Mike Lopichuk.

—Photo and Engraving by Gushul Studio, Blairmore, Alberta

Marconi And Seaman To Report To Chicago

As the result of try-outs given them at Calgary this Fall when big-league baseballers came to that city for an exhibition game, Francis Marconi and Eddie Seaman have been instructed to report to the office of Chicago Cubs at the windy city next April.

The instructions were received by Roscoe Delini, of Hillcrest, who has been managing the boys for the past two years.

Mr. Delini states that since the boys are being taken to Chicago it is very likely they will be sent to the Cubs' training camp and given a try-out under professional coaches to determine their ability.

Pee Wee Hockey Regulations

(a) League to consist of players under 16 as at November 1, 1938.

(b) Birth certificates of registered players must be produced.

2. Teams sponsored limited to 12 registered players per team.

3. (a) Balancing of teams to be arranged by managers and coaches and change of players to be registered with the executive committee.

(b) Commencing with the play-offs, sponsored teams must be iced as registered with the executive committee.

4. Any player not registered is ineligible to play in exhibition games.

5. Sponsors and coaches are asked to consider the general department of the team, re language, smoking, etc.

6. Teams are to adhere strictly to schedule of games or practices unless revised by mutual consent.

7. (a) Referee's decision to be final. Recommend that a coach of a team not then competing to act as referee.

(b) Any protest of decision to be in the hands of the executive committee within 24 hours.

8. Schedule of games to consist of 3-15 minute periods with 5 minute practice and rest periods.

9. Team manager is responsible for equipment.

10. C.A.H.A. rules to govern as closely as possible.

Sportsmanship is the general aim of your committee.

Hockey Forecast

Sidney Houghton comes forward this week and lists the teams in the order in which he thinks they will finish. He has gauged the strength of the teams and his forecast will be very close to the mark.

1. Lethbridge Maple Leafs.
2. Drumheller Miners
3. Turner Valley
4. Coleman Canadians
5. Olds Elks
6. Edmonton Eskimos
7. Calgary Stampers
8. Lethbridge to win 20 and lose 12.
9. Drumheller to win 18 and lose 14.

The United Church

Sunday services will be as usual with the Sunday school after the morning service. Part of the Christmas music will be repeated by the choir at the evening service. This will appeal to the capacity crowd which heard the full program on Christmas evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all who care to attend.

The Watchnight service announced for Saturday will not be held.



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Local News

Mr. and Mrs. J. Glendenning spent the holiday in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Brown are Medicine Hat visitors.

Miss Audrey and Mr. Hugh Dunlop are spending the holidays at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Nurcombe spent the Christmas holidays with relatives at Calgary.

Mr. John Sneddon spent the holidays with his family at Calgary.

W. L. Taylor, C. P. R. agent, spent Christmas with his family in Edmonton.

Miss Belle Flynn, of Calgary, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Flynn.

Douglas Bevan is spending the holidays with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Bevan.

Miss Mary McIntyre, Calgary Normal student, is spending the holidays with her parents here.

Miss Blanche Higginbotham, of Calgary, spent Christmas with her parents.

Mrs. Harold Houghton, of Calgary, arrived last week to spend several weeks with her husband, caretaker of the curling arena.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dewar spent the Christmas week-end at Lethbridge, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Donaldson.

Mrs. Murdoch and daughter, of Bassano, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Murdoch for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Holstead and Audrey spent Christmas with Mrs. Holstead's parents at Spring Point.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kapalka, of Trail, are spending the Christmas holidays with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Fraser McLeod and family spent Christmas the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew McLeod.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Dempsey, of South Slokan, B.C., are holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Higginbotham.

Jim Kellock, student at Mount Royal school, Calgary, is spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kellock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. C. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Whittaker, of Fernie during Christmas.

Gifts to the hospital are acknowledged from Mayor Pattinson, oranges, cigarettes and candy; N. Burnik, turkey; Harry Garner, flowers; Junior Red Cross, flowers. Appreciation and thanks is expressed to the donors.

Bad Car Smash on Frank Slide Saturday Evening

A bad car smash occurred on the Frank slide on Saturday evening when a 1939 Chevrolet with three occupants left the road. Danny Mills, well-known Pass resident, was one of the occupants and along with his companions was taken to Blairmore hospital, where they were given medical attention.

New Year Greetings

to our large circle of customers and friends in the Crow's Nest Pass towns.

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Frank Aboussafy

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Projects With Possibilities

If Western Canada is to derive the maximum of benefits from the plans and operations of Ducks Unlimited, whose projects reached the stage of initial field work during the summer just past, close co-operation between and co-ordination with the activities of all departments of the federal and western provincial governments is highly essential.

At the outset of its active career in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, Ducks Unlimited established a close contact with the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Administration and the two organizations, with a joint objective of conservation of water, but for different reasons, have maintained not only friendly relations but have exchanged information and have collaborated closely in carrying out their respective projects.

This is as it should be, but this co-operation and co-ordination can, and doubtless will in the future, be extended to harmonize with and further promote the activities of the provincial governmental departments, including those devoted to construction and maintenance of highways and those devoted to the administration of game laws and conservation of wild life, as well as those concerned with agriculture, the development of the natural resources and publicity, to name some provincial government activities which could very well be tied in with water conservation to the ultimate advantage of all concerned.

A Laudable Ambition

For the benefit of those who may not be very familiar with the scope of operations and ambitions of Ducks Unlimited, it might be appropriate at this stage to say that the primary objective of this organization is to conserve existing breeding and resting grounds for ducks in the northern reaches of the three prairie provinces, to extend them and to develop new ones wherever conservation of water and topographical features lend themselves to such an undertaking.

Where such areas are not already game preserves and bird sanctuaries it is proposed, of course, to convert them into safe harbours for game birds and other wild life and the program includes provisions for public hunting grounds, where sportsmen who are willing to conform to the tenets of wild life conservation within the boundaries of proper control measures may take their pleasure in season.

A report on the first season's work carried out in the field by Ducks Unlimited reveals that three major projects, one in each of the three prairie provinces, involving the construction of dams and other appropriate work have already been completed and these, together with two additional contemplated projects will impound runoff water next spring and, to quote the organization's report, "create to natural, profitable use, 100,000 acres of water, marsh and upland each acre capable of producing 100 ducks" or a total of ten million ducks.

Other Aids Necessary

It requires little imagination to sense what such an undertaking may well mean to the people of the provinces which are co-operating with Ducks Unlimited. It will open up substantial areas which should prove veritable paradises for visiting hunters sportsmen and nature lovers from all parts of the continent, provided the necessary steps are taken to let them know that such places of recreation and rest exist and means to make them accessible are furnished.

Such an objective necessarily entails the construction and maintenance of adequate highways coupled with an effective program of publicity in those areas from which tourists with leisure and means can be drawn to enjoy the available attractions and incidentally, leave some of their good money in the province. The latter is a natural and inevitable corollary of the former.

With all governmental departments combining to provide all the necessary facilities to make the most of the site of these projects and of others which undoubtedly will follow in the future, it is not difficult to foresee that the results may well have a profound and beneficial effect on the economic life of the country.

International Goodwill

The possibilities for the future are well summed up in the closing paragraph of a report on the activities of the organization in the following words:

"Ducks Unlimited is a co-operative enterprise in sport and conservation of international scope. Its immediate purpose is to restore and increase ducks—as an integral part of a sound development of all resources. Its ultimate results will include the generation of understanding and goodwill throughout the whole continent."

Commemorative Coinage

New Silver Dollar Will Be Struck By Royal Canadian Mint

A new silver dollar, commemorative of the visit to Canada next summer of King George and Queen Elizabeth, will be struck shortly by the royal Canadian mint, Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced.

The coin will bear the likeness of King George on one side and a design symbolizing the royal visit on the opposite side.

There will also be an issue of stamps in three series to commemorate the event. The one-cent stamp will be green with the features of the royal princesses. A brown two-cent stamp will show the national war memorial which His Majesty will unveil next May, while the likenesses of the king and queen will appear on the three-cent stamp which will be large in size and red as at present.

The tasseled squirrel grows cartwheels each fall. These grow to a length of 1½ inches by midwinter and fall off in the spring.

In England, a Sunday blue law states that "cut flowers can be bought on the Sabbath, but no potted plants."

Science says four out of five people are untroubled by nerves. They are the ones you hear honking.

Germany has prohibited the use of wheat and rye as fodder.

More Abundant Rainfall

Scientists Say Next Few Years Will Be Relatively Wet

The United States weather bureau forecast the next few years would be relatively wet if the climate pattern of the last century continues.

"Explaining weather history is a succession of dry and wet cycles interspersed with periods of average rainfall, the bureau said records suggest very strongly that the recent long drought period has about spent itself and that immediate future years will have more abundant rainfall."

In its annual report the bureau declared any long-term agricultural program which does not take into account wet and dry cycles is "inherently weak."

Chipmunks are known under the generic name, "Tamias," meaning steward, because of their habit of storing away provisions.

It is estimated that rodents, insects and other wild life leave only 25 per cent. of the range grass for livestock.

Ages of stars can be told by their color, which changes as they grow older.

An adult needs about 900 pounds of fresh vegetables a year.

Small fish are burned as candies by Alaskan miners.

Farther North

Highway Opening Up Vast Mineral Areas In Manitoba

One hundred miles of highway now connect The Pas with Melfort, and points south, to provide a link between the "inside" and the "outside" of Manitoba. The route only the official opening of No. 10 highway to introduce this fact to the general public of Canada.

Some day, perhaps the road will be carried to the shores of Hudson Bay—connected by highway the most northerly port in America, Churchill, with Cape Horn, to the South.

To serve the mining communities of Flin Flon, Herb Lake and Cranberry Portage, the anticipated state of immediate future development, the road must be carried to the Portage. From there its future traffic can be carried economically by barge to and from surrounding communities.

Only 40 miles of new road, at the most, are necessary to offer a fair guarantee that the trade and benefits from these mineral areas of the future will accrue to Manitoba, the builders of the new road.—Northern Mail, The Pas.

Wild Fowl Photographed

Miss Squire, Of Kansas, Spends Summer In The Far North

Miss Lorene Squire, one of the foremost wild-fowl and game photographers in Canada and the United States, is back in Harper, Kas., after another summer of camera shooting in Canada's northern regions.

A color reel of the Canadian reindeer herd on Richards Island, Mackenzie Inlet, shots of rare black and white snow geese and a close-up of a flock of wild swans are a few of the pictures taken on her latest expedition.

Miss Squire studied in University of Kansas, majoring in dramatics, but turned to photographing after graduation in 1932. She says she does not make sufficient money at her photographing to call it a profession but spends far too much time at it to call it a hobby.

Miss Squire went into the northland in June. She travelled by plane and whiplash and a trip from Churchill, Man., to Baffin Land via the S.S. Nauyasoo was included. She said she loved life in the north and planned to return next summer.

A Hungarian shepherd, 81 years of age, is reputed to have the world record mustache. It measures 26 inches from tip to tip.

Sir Walter Raleigh never was in America. He only reached Newfoundland on his voyage to the New World.

The Christian world never has adopted one uniform Bible. There are ten different versions in use today.

The Casiquiare river, in Venezuela, flows in opposite directions in different seasons.

Register For Service

Technical Men Volunteer Services In Event Of War

Voluntary effort on the part of Canadian organizations is resulting in a national registration of professional and technical men whose services might be placed at the country's disposal in the emergency of war.

With the concurrence of the national defence department this "census" is at present being undertaken by the Engineering Institute of Canada, the Canadian Institute of Chemistry, the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy and others.

The policy is in line with that being carried out in the United Kingdom where national registration of men and women offering themselves for voluntary service is in progress. Some time ago the Canadian Medical Association began to list among its members those who would make their services available.

Already the defence department possesses information relating to the character and capacity of various Canadian industries. More than 800 plants have been surveyed and all facts bearing on their production and processes have been filed. Departmental experts are studying how best those plants may be converted from peacetime to wartime work in case of necessity.

New Patent Syrup Jug

Long realizing the need for a syrup jug that would make pouring syrup easier, the makers of Bee Hive Syrup now have one. This jug is retailing in Toronto stores at \$1.30 for a 12-ounce size and \$3.00 for a 40-ounce size. The price is the best indication that something remarkably new has been developed. For Bee Hive Syrup using the Jug can be secured at big savings. The 12-ounce size can be had for four five-pound Bee Hive Syrup labels, or the equivalent in pounds and 50c, and the large size for 10 five-pound labels or the equivalent in pounds and \$1.00. The Jug is absolutely unique in that it has a patent drip cut action that severs the syrup off without dripping or dripping. It is easily filled. People saving them in action instantly say "that's what I want".

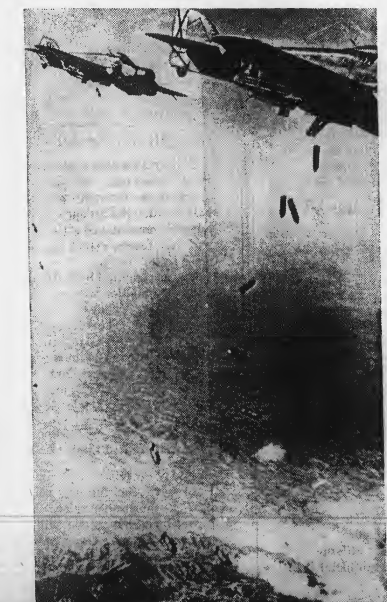
Readers should express their requests to the St. Lawrence Starch Co., Port Credit, Ont.

No Trouble Over Return

Map Makers Put Island Back Into United States

Burnham Island is back in the United States. A dab of yellow dropped in the middle of the St. Lawrence River as shown on the map in New York's Legislative Manual marks the return of the wanderer, unwittingly "ceded" to Canada several years ago by an erring mapmaker. Previous copies have shown the 600-acre spot, off Massena, in white to conform with the province of Ontario. No international incident has arisen over the error. In fact no one noticed it until A. J. Bellfuss of Chicago trained his eyes on a map sent him by the Secretary of State's office last July.

The guy who used to blow his horn is now blowing his automobile's.

DEATH FROM THE SKY IN SPAIN!

Look out below! Death's coming and it's coming fast! A remarkable picture over Valencia, Spain, showing Spanish insurgent bombing planes dropping their missiles of death on the city of Valencia, miles below. Note the smoke of fires caused by other bombs.



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About a decade ago Anthony Eden was referred to as "that terrible young man who wants peace so much." He had earned a Military Cross in finding out what war was like. As a rising diplomat he strove, against obstacles now fully realized, to perpetuate the spirit of Locarno and to extend the pacifying influence of the League of Nations. He showed a natural devotion to the strength and dignity of his own country, but it was joined with a larger loyalty to European civilization. Refreshing one's memory of his training and record one recalls that he once wrote art criticisms for a Yorkshire paper, that his collection of French classics of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries is not to be despised, and that he made a special study of Oriental languages. But his adventures in art and erudition did not blunt the edge of his courage, as he showed conclusively in the crucial test he had to meet last February.—New York Times.

Religion Of A Scientist

Few Will Defend An Atheistic Attitude On The Evolution Of Mankind

In an address in New York on the "Religion of a Scientist", Dr. Compton said that "as we learn more about the world, the probability of its having resulted by chance processes becomes more and more remote."

The world is still in the early stages of evolution and as man develops he probably will take over from God responsibility for the evolution of life on earth, the Chicago scientist said.

Faith in God may be a thoroughly scientific attitude, Dr. Compton declared, even though it is not possible to establish the correctness of the belief.

"Such a faith is presumably based on the experience that the hypothesis of God gives a more reasonable interpretation of the world than any other," he said.

Analyzing the present stage of evolution Dr. Compton said man is now master of plant and animal life on earth and to a large extent even the means of controlling his own evolution.

Finally the responsibility is being shifted by God to our shoulders. As science advances it seems inevitable that this transfer of authority will approach completeness," he said.

One Of Deadliest Weapons

Motor Car Improperly Handled Can Do Untold Damage

Many motorists do not know the deadly nature of the weapon in their charge when carelessly handled. The motor car in itself is foolproof, properly cared for. The trouble when there is trouble, usually is due to the head back of the wheel.

"Canadian Underwriter", which devotes much of a recent issue to highway accidents, prints this: "Engineers say that a motorist who crashes into a solid object at 60 miles per hour suffers the same force of impact that he would if he drove off the roof of a 12-story building."

No sane motorist would drive off a 12-story building. How many "going 60" realize the danger?

A car going 60 represents nine times the energy of one going 20 miles per hour; it is nine times as hard to stop, travels nine times as far before stopping, hits any object nine times as hard, and brings death six times as often.

The insurance journal also offers this for thought: At 20 miles per hour, according to the law of averages, there is one death in 61 accidents; at 20 to 30 miles, one death in 42; at 30 to 40 miles, one in 35; at 40 to 60 miles, one in 25 accidents; over 60, one in 11.

Origin Follows Old Custom

One of the oldest and most widespread usages of colour connects a specific one with each of the four cardinal points of the compass. North is white, east is yellow, south red and west black. In many parts of the Orient this colour custom still is followed in the painting of city gates that face squarely in these directions.

Tree stumps, 400,000 years old, were taken from the water off the coast of New Jersey almost perfectly preserved.

In Ancient China the highest praise that could be bestowed upon an Emperor was to say that his goodness extended to animals.

In Europe it's a wise child that knows his own fatherland.

Nazi Press Warns That Relations May Be Broken With U. S.

Berlin.—The controlled Nazi press warned that Interior Secretary Ickes' "course" might lead to a break in diplomatic relations between United States and Germany.

The Hamburg "Freidenkblatt," influential businessmen's newspaper of north Germany, joined the widely-read Berlin Lokalanzeiger in declaring editorially that the aim of Ickes, a member of President Roosevelt's cabinet and his "group" was to lead the way to rupture between the two governments.

These editorial warnings apparently were the Nazi answer, for the present, to the rebuff by Sumner Welles, acting secretary of state, of the German government's request for an apology for an address made by Ickes at Cleveland.

German officials continued their silence, and the press so far has not published news of the protests or Welles' answer.

Ickes, the Hamburg "Freidenkblatt" declared, "only fulfills the program of his Weltanschaulichen friends (meaning Jews and Marxists) when he obviously wants to force by his course of action a diplomatic break between the United States and the German Reich."

The controlled press broadened the quarrel by charging, among other things, that Ickes and Senator Guy Pittman belonged to a group of "war investigators."

Lokalanzeiger said the "aim" of the group was to "let matters come to a breaking off of diplomatic relations" between Washington and the Berlin and Tokyo governments.

Press ridicule against Roosevelt and fresh attacks on Ickes and Pittman were interspersed with such phrases as "rupture" and "abrogation of German-American relations."

A government spokesman said official comment undoubtedly would come "in due time."

Spectacular Blaze

Napoleon's Tomb Is Saved When Fire Sweeps Paris Hotel

Paris.—A spectacular fire swept the facade of the Hotel des Invalides but quick action by firefighters saved Napoleon's tomb from damage.

The blaze was halted by a wall of water after it burned through the files of the military government of Paris, destroyed a section of the roof and damaged a length of about 80 yards across the front of the structure.

The massive stone building once served as a soldiers' home, and now houses Napoleon's tomb, the army museum and the military government offices.

The amount of damage could not be determined immediately.

Deep Oil Well

Calgary.—The deepest well in the British empire, Okalta 6, owned by Okalta Oil Ltd., Calgary, blew into production a mile west of the proven south Turner valley crude oil area.

Commission Named To Consider Project Of B. C.-Alaska Highway

Ottawa.—Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced that the government had appointed a five-member commission to consider the project involving construction of a highway in British Columbia from the international border to Alaska.

The following will constitute the commission: Hon. Charles Stewart, chairman of the Canadian section of the international joint commission; Brig.-General T. L. Tremblay of Quebec; J. M. Wardle, of the department of mines and resources here; Arthur Dixon, of Victoria, an official of the public works department; and J. W. Spencer of Victoria.

For more than a year the project has been a live issue. Premier Pattullo of British Columbia has been interested in the scheme and has conferred with both Canadian and United States government officials on the matter.

While British Columbia would have all the authority with respect to the section passing through that province the Dominion government comes into the picture when consideration is given the section passing through the Yukon Territory, administered by the federal authority.

In announcing appointment of a commission, Mr. Mackenzie King said

Germany Lifts Ban

Restrictions Regarding Money Being Sent To U.S. Are Cancelled

Washington.—One week after a Philadelphia judge took jurisdiction in his own hands and delivered a retaliatory blow against Germany, the Reich lifted a ban preventing United States citizens from collecting in full on inheritances left them in Germany.

Heretofore American heirs of persons who died in Germany have been unable to receive all of their legacies because of German exchange restrictions.

This situation came to the attention of Judge Raymond MacNellie of the Philadelphia common pleas court. As a result he refused to allow part of a \$91,238 trust fund to go to claimants in Germany.

"In view of the fact that money belonging to beneficiaries in this country is not permitted to leave Germany I do not think it fair and proper to transfer funds from this country for beneficiaries in Germany," he said.

He was further quoted as saying: "I am not positive my action is legal, but I think it is time we found out."

If my decision is not supported by the law, then we should have remedial legislation, and this is as good a way to get it as I know."

The German embassy heard about the decision and reported it to Berlin immediately. Hans Thomsen, German charge d'affaires here, notified Sumner Welles, under-secretary of state, that the German restrictions had been lifted. Welles had complained to the German envoy about the German restrictions.

State department officials understood about \$5,000,000 annually goes to Germany from American estates, and about half that much is left to United States heirs from estates in Germany.

For Trade Agreement

Washington.—Stanley Bruce, high commissioner for Australia, gave a hint he had discussed with President Roosevelt a reciprocal trade agreement between Australia and the United States—an agreement Bruce told reporters would be "very difficult" to accomplish.

Chamberlain's Card

London.—Prime Minister Chamberlain's Christmas card bears the picture of an aeroplane above the clouds, symbolizing his historic flights which culminated in the Munich agreement. Under the picture is the simple caption: "Munich, September 29, 1938."

Regulate Imports

London.—The British government, effective Jan. 15, will regulate nut and lamb imports in an effort to increase domestic prices. W. S. Morrison, minister of agriculture, announced in the House of Commons.

Seat To Be Reserved

Hon. R. B. Bennett To Sit Next To Hon. Manion In House Of Commons

Ottawa.—As long as Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, former prime minister, represents Calgary West the seat of honor next to Hon. R. J. Manion, Conservative leader, will be reserved for him in the House of Commons, it was learned in circles close to the new leader.

While it is understood Dr. Manion has not yet worked out the seating arrangements on the front Conservative benches for the coming session that much has been decided.

It is also understood Hon. H. H. Stevens, who recently announced he would support Dr. Manion after his estrangement from the party, will move into the Conservative block of seats and be allocated a place not far from Dr. Manion.

While Mr. Bennett has intimated he may not be in the house next session as he intends to move to England during the winter he has not resigned his seat. Until then he will retain his place on the front row whether he occupies it or not.

Heavy Canal Tolls

Italy And Germany Want Some Part In Control Of Suez

Berlin.—Italy's demands for reorganization of the control of the Suez canal conform to the point of view of the German merchant marine, the official German news agency said. "Such a reorganization," the agency said, "is in fact the best interests of better economic co-operation among nations. It is to be noted that trade with the Far East and Africa is made appreciably more expensive by the canal tolls. For this reason many ships take the Cape route."

"An institution such as the Suez canal should not have the task of making great profits, mounting to hundreds of millions each year, to the detriment of the community. This method does not at all correspond to German economic ideas. It is believed here that the true commercial profit from the hazardous enterprise the canal was at the beginning has been largely paid in dividends so often issued during many decades."

Arms Purchases

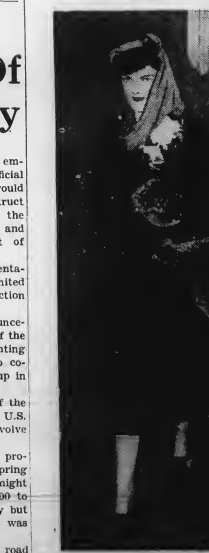
Question Raised Regarding United Kingdom Contract With Canada

London.—The cost of British arms purchases in Canada in comparison with purchases in the United States was raised in the House of Commons by Frederick Belfrage, Labor.

He asked the government whether the prices paid for war supplies in the Dominion were greater, equal or less than the prices paid for similar armaments manufactured in Great Britain.

The government, replied Sir John Simon, chancellor of the exchequer, "in placing contracts in Canada made valuable use of the experience gained in similar orders placed in Great Britain, but other considerations besides those of price enter into the question."

EDENS CAPTIVATE WASHINGTON



Anthony Eden, former British Foreign Secretary, and his attractive wife, shown at a Washington railway station, captivated the residents of the United States capital during their day's visit, which included a call at the White House and a tour of Washington's home at Mount Vernon.

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J. L. Seamans, Agricultural Scientist, in charge of the Dominion Entomological Laboratory at Lethbridge, Alta., has been named the winner of the 1938 medal of the Professional Institute of the Civil Service of Canada. This medal is awarded annually for meritorious public service.

May Re-Enter Cabinet

Anthony Eden Pleased With His Visit To America

London.—Anthony Eden returned to England from his brief visit to the United States to find himself the centre of reports he may re-enter the cabinet.

The Daily Mail (Independent) said the former foreign secretary would be invited by Prime Minister Chamberlain to "re-join the government early in the new year."

The paper said several ministers had suggested Mr. Eden, who resigned from the foreign office last February, be given one of the defence departments but "it is not known whether he will accept."

Enthusiastic about his visit to the United States, and pleased to have "seen ourselves as others see us," Mr. Eden in a broadcast and in press interviews confined himself exclusively to comment on America and the Americans.

In a broadcast he said he had found opinion in the United States deeply interested in world events and particularly in Europe and the Far East.

"Americans are well informed on these matters," he added. "The comments of the principal newspapers are forceful and shrewd. I cannot help feeling that it would be all to the good if these editorials were more widely reproduced in this country."

What had touched him and Mrs. Eden most, he said, was the "spontaneous character of that welcome and the thousands of friendly messages we received from all parts of the United States and Canada."

Receives Appointment

Winnipeg.—Professor William John Rose, native of Minnedosa, Man., 200 miles northwest of Winnipeg, has been appointed director of the school of Slavonic and eastern European studies at London University, England, in 1939. Prof. Rose was a Rhodes scholar in 1905.

Canada Recognizes The King Of Italy As Emperor Of Ethiopia

Ontario Chief Justice

K. S. Robertson, K.C., To Succeed Hon. Newton W. Rowell, Resigned

Ottawa.—A new chief justice for Ontario was appointed in the person of K. S. Robertson, K.C., 68, long prominent as a practising lawyer in Toronto.

Mr. Robertson succeeds Hon. Newton W. Rowell who resigned both his post as chief justice and as chairman of the royal commission on Dominion-territorial relations, because of ill-health.

Called to the bar in 1894, Mr. Robertson has practised his profession in Toronto throughout his career. He represented the Dominion government in the argument presented to the judicial committee of the privy council on the reform legislation passed by the Bennett government in 1935.

Manitoba Revenues

Reported To Be The Highest In History Of Province

Winnipeg.—Higher revenues in Manitoba's history were announced by Hon. S. S. Garson, provincial treasurer, in releasing public accounts for the fiscal year ended April 30, 1938.

Collections on ordinary revenue totalled \$16,182,669 when, when added to a special grant of \$750,000 from the Dominion government, brought the aggregate up to \$16,932,669.

A surplus of \$505,189 was shown for the year after expenditures were taken off. The figure did not include total costs of relief.

Mr. Garson said provincial revenues continued to show considerable buoyancy and were exceeding departmental estimates while estimated expenditures were lower.

Livestock Problems

Marketing Conference To Be Held In Alberta Soon

Calgary.—A western livestock marketing conference will be held in Alberta early in the new year to examine all problems associated with assembling and marketing of livestock in western Canada, W. G. McKenzie, of Lethbridge, announced here.

Directors of the Alberta co-operative council decided to call the conference, Mr. McKenzie said, and arrangements were being made by the council's livestock section.

Ottawa.—The Canadian government has requested the British ambassador in Rome to notify the government of Italy that Canada recognizes the king of Italy as emperor of Ethiopia. Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced.

For a long time "the question of recognition of the conquest of Ethiopia by Italy has been before various countries. The League of Nations council left it up to member countries to make their own decisions."

The prime minister issued the following statement covering Canada's recognition:

The question of recognition of Italian sovereignty over Ethiopia has been under consideration by members of the League of Nations and other countries for the past two years. Following action by a number of states in accordance with due recognition, the government of the United Kingdom placed the question on the agenda of the council of the League of Nations in May, 1938.

After discussion it was decided that "the great majority of the members of the council feel that it is for the individual members of the league to determine their attitude in the light of their own situation and their own obligations."

The United Kingdom accorded recognition last month through the presentation of His Majesty's ambassador in Rome of new letters of credence accrediting him to the "King of Italy and Emperor of Ethiopia." A similar course was taken some months earlier on the presentation of letters of credence of the Irish minister to Rome.

The Australian government has conveyed its recognition through a note from His Majesty's ambassador, and the government of the Union of South Africa has also indicated its approval of the granting of recognition. All the European governments with the exception of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics have accorded recognition.

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Fish-Lett Treaty

Kaunas, Lithuania.—Poland and Lithuania, which almost went to war last March over strained relations, signed a trade treaty exchanging for exchange of goods worth more than \$2,000,000.

U. S. Has Rejected Germany's Demand For Official Apology

Washington.—Sumner Welles, acting secretary of state, disclosed the United States had rejected Germany's demand for an official apology for Inter Secretary Ickes' speech in Cleveland last Sunday attacking dictatorships.

Welles told Dr. Hans Thomsen, German charge d'affaires, the request came with singularly ill-grace and impropriety from a government which had so persistently permitted its controlled press and officials to attack American leaders including Presidents Wilson and Roosevelt and present members of the cabinet.

The acting secretary of state advised Thomsen that Ickes' remarks represented the feeling of an overwhelming majority of the American people who had been profoundly shocked by recent events in Germany. Secretary Ickes, speaking before the Zionist Society of Cleveland, said anti-Jewish violence in Germany took Germany back to the period of history "when man was unlettered, benighted and bestial."

He criticized Americans, particularly Colonel Charles Lindbergh and Henry Ford, for accepting German decorations and said:

"How can they pretend that in accepting the shabby baubles of a dictator they are honoring the great people whom the dictator has victimized and degraded."

Welles' statement to the German envoy was couched in strong and uncompromising terms which the United States rarely uses in diplomatic discussions with a friendly government.

He told Thomsen the German government must now surely know the recent policy pursued in Germany had shocked and confounded public

opinion in the United States more profoundly than anything that had taken place in many decades. Welles warned Thomsen that expressions of public indignation such as Ickes' were inevitable.

Welles said in talking to Thomsen that this criticism of Ford and Lindbergh was a purely domestic question in which Germany could have no concern whatever and which he would not discuss.

And, Welles added, so long as attacks against American officials continued in Germany the German had no right to suppose that attacks of the same character would not continue in the United States.

The exchange brought an extremely sharp new strain on U.S.-German relations, already tense from the recent withdrawal of ambassadors of both countries and Germany's response to increasingly insistent recent American notes. The state department considered the latter unsatisfactory.

Thomsen had told Welles he trusted the government of the United States would make public an official expression of regret for Ickes' statement. This Welles flatly refused to do.

The acting secretary replied that for several months he had closely followed the German press and had rarely read more unjustifiable criticism or open attacks on members of another government than had been made therein. Welles mentioned recent attacks on President Roosevelt and members of the cabinet. He bluntly said he was sure the German charge d'affaires could hardly dispute the German press was completely under the influence and dictation of the German government.

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NEW YEAR'S MESSAGE

from

Coleman Board of Trade



"Still Thrilled by the Future"

"WE PERSIST in thinking that the future, which looks dark to some of our friends, offers countless thrilling adventures to all of us, especially to those of the younger generation. Anyone who predicts that progress is at an end is likely to provoke the pitying smiles of the youngsters of to-morrow."



H. T. HALLIWELL
President Coleman Board of Trade

"Waste No Time"

"LET US waste no time entertaining negative thoughts about the future. Each day is the beginning of a new era of progress. Manna constantly falls for those who see it, nourishing them as they press onward. Eventually they find the promised land and after them come the millions who will share the riches they have discovered."



The foregoing paragraphs are taken from an editorial published in a little magazine entitled "Shining Lines," and written by John T. Mackey, who as a boy earned a living selling newspapers and doing odd jobs where he could find them, and has since been searching eagerly for the best way of doing things.

With the opening of a new year, they are words that we can all take to heart. In Coleman, and the Crow's Nest Pass, our tasks as business men and citizens should be to scan the horizon of the year 1939, and try to discover within the scope of our individual activities how we can accomplish something worth while for the town in which we live, to search for "the best way" of doing things.

Our business activities are necessarily linked with the success of the coal mining industry. The entire population of the Pass towns derives its living, directly and indirectly, from production of wealth in the form of coal.

Here is another quotation from John T. Mackey worth pondering:

"The greatest partnership is that of buyer and seller working together harmoniously and with perfect faith in the service of the public as a whole.

It isn't the price charged that is of first importance. Actually, a seemingly low price may be the high price. It is only when the price and the service are compared that the true value is revealed. Purchasers must learn that fact. But they cannot learn it unless they are given encouragement by wise producers and sellers who have high standards, who know their costs, who are interested in paying their workmen decent wages, and who concern themselves, not with the immediate sale, but with the building up of a business that will survive and serve throughout the years."

These words are passed on by your Board of Trade, because they are equally applicable in the small town as in the large city. True, we live closer to each other in the smaller centres, and our actions are therefore more closely taken note of, but there is also greater opportunity for developing goodwill, which is an important asset to the success of any business.

Our foremost objective or desire is to promote the use of Canadian coal in a wider market. On its increasing use depends the progress of every business concern in the Crow's Nest Pass. There should be no need to emphasize the point, but there are some

who apparently do not see the point, and regard their own immediate benefit as of far greater importance than the progress and welfare of the whole population.

The opening of a new year is an opportune time to take stock of our efforts, or lack of them, and to all there is the opportunity to do their part in finding a "better way" to do things so that the entire community may benefit.

In closing, remember, that a Board of Trade can only function successfully when it has the support of Coleman business men. United action can accomplish almost anything that a group of men may set out to do, and there is plenty of scope in your home town.

We can all take part in sowing the seed of enterprise and progress, of loyalty to home institutions and the support of those who take the responsibility of leadership in municipal and business affairs.

Yours faithfully,

H. T. Halliwell

President.

A Happy New Year To All



WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Organized labor in Great Britain is prepared to fight strenuously any attempt to impose conscription in peace time.

The Italian cabinet ordered Jews to exchange all their land and buildings exceeding a fixed value for bonds bearing four per cent interest.

Population of the area of London coming under the London county council has declined from 4,397,003 in 1931, to 4,094,500 in June, 1937.

Four torpedo boats are reported to have been ordered in Great Britain for the Swedish navy, at a cost of about 2,000,000 kroner (about \$50,000).

Eight persons were killed to death in the customs house at Alexandria, Egypt, when 20 cases of motion picture film caught fire during customs examination.

George Willis, a wharf manager, said at Victoria the famous Lunenburg, N.S., schooner Blunose might visit Victoria, Vancouver and Puget Sound ports in Washington state next year.

Valeri Chkalov, 34, one of the three Soviet Russian aviators who flew across the North Pole from Moscow to Vancouver, Wash., in 1937, was killed in a crash while testing a new plane.

Next February more than 40 sturdy fishing boats will plug into Esquimaux naval base near Victoria to begin a month's training as units in the defence system of the Pacific coast.

Holder of the world's land speed record of 337 miles an hour, Capt. George Eyston was fined 20 shillings (\$4.60) for speeding on a hill in his bankment. He was clocked at 371½ miles an hour.

In accordance with a concrete plan laid down by the Elre government, large shipments of wheat are pouring into the country and will continue until enough grain to supply Elre for a year in case of war, is in storage.

Winter Sports in London

Canadian Promoter Is Staging Huge International Indoor Display

In London, the desert metropolis where a snowstorm comes down in a blue moon and is about as substantial as dandruff on a blue suit, a Canadian is being hailed the creator of winter. He is suave Armand Vincent of Montreal, whose \$150,000 winter cavalcade at Earl's Court is the biggest sport promotional venture ever staged under one roof in Britain.

It is a large-scale international indoor winter sports display with trimmings. The program includes a snowstorm, skiing, ski-jumping and snowshoeing competitions, and a French revue of 100 chorus girls.

Twelve thousand spectators including members of the royal family are expected nightly to watch the big show, staged on a full sized snow-covered ski run with a realistic scenic mountain in the background.

Bert Paake, floor manager, Norman Gagne, ski jumper, and Chief Poking Fire, Louis Thorvald, Peter Vavuz and Dan Cunningham, snowshoers, all from Quebec, are other Canadians taking part.

A Smart Salesgirl

Managed To Secure Subscription To Magazine By Clever Ruse

Many a policeman in Detroit is blushing over this one: A pretty brunette, who said she was from Kentucky, failed to sell subscriptions to a religious weekly until she bet the policemen one subscription she could tell their weight to a pound, how many birthdays they had and to within three days the day of their birth. Each cop ruefully paid the \$1 subscription fee when she answered: "Your weight to the pound is 16 ounces. You each have had one birthday, the rest were anniversaries. And you were born within three days of Wednesday."

Not Good Organizers

When Germany had colonies she made no profit and little use of them and the Nazis' ideas of domination were in force there long before it became a Hitler obsession. The Germans, states the Brandon Sun, are not real colonizers under German rule. All the successful settlers from Germany have done well under other flags.

The earth's temperature increases on an average of one degree Fahrenheit for each 60 feet of depth.

In Serbia, the common cure for headaches is a crushed onion, massaged on the forehead.

Before it selects a place to spawn, the king salmon of the Yukon river often swims 2,000 miles upstream.

VETERAN RETIRES



The second veteran skipper of the British Columbia Coast Steamships to retire during 1938 is Captain Clifford C. Sainty, lately of the Princess Elizabeth in the Vancouver-Victoria night run. Captain Sainty has been with the B.C.S. for 29 years.

Eastern Arctic Mail

Ekimko Population Now Sending Messages To Widely Separated Families

Canada's Ekimko population is making increasing use of the mails, according to officials of the Eastern Arctic Patrol. Letters and messages between widely separated Eskimo families now-form a considerable part of the mail carried by the R.M.S. Nasopole on the annual cruise to posts along Hudson Strait and Bay and on the island of the Arctic Archipelago.

Most of the correspondence between the Eskimos is carried on in the syllabary which makes use of some 60 phonetic characters, and is more adaptable to the formation of Eskimo words than the English alphabet which often makes their words long and cumbersome. The natives of the Eastern Arctic are proud of their ability to read and write the syllabary and delight in making use of the postal facilities to communicate with their relatives and friends.

To the white population of the Eastern Arctic the northern mail service also brings its blessings, as the Nasopole plies her way to widely scattered posts. Supplies, food and clothing are at all times welcomed by the fur traders, missionaries and Royal Canadian Mounted Police at the different stations, but it is the letters, messages and gifts from home, newspapers and reading matter, which are looked forward to and awaited with eager anticipation. While to a considerable extent the radio is the principal contact of the northern posts with the outside world, it is the mail service which provides the intimate link with the home.

Heretofore little known to the public, the Eastern Arctic mail service is rapidly becoming an annual event of outstanding interest. To philatelists in all parts of the world it is of especial interest, and recent years have witnessed a greatly increased volume of mail passing between the outlying posts of the North and the heavily populated cities and towns of many countries for purely stamp-collecting purposes.

During the past year the postal facilities provided throughout the Eastern Arctic were widely used. In most cases the supply of postage stamps was considerably increased as in many instances the postmasters reported that the previous year's supply was completely exhausted before the arrival of this year's expedition.

The War In China

No Other Country Could Sustain Such Losses And Survive

There is no sign that China is interested in peace, save on honorable terms; and these Japan in her present mood is incapable of offering. In the material, though not in the spiritual, sphere China has now lost virtually everything which goes to the making of a modern Republic. Her railways, her ports, her industries, almost all her major sources of revenue have been seized, her life capital, by the enemy. No other country could sustain such losses and not only survive but remain on a war footing. Japan is learning that it is impossible to paralyze a vast country, in which live one-fifth of the human race, because there are no nerve centres whose destruction definitely affects the whole country. It is indeed difficult to see what more Japan can do towards winning the war than she has done already.—London Times.

Two of the most popular ways of getting run down are by a reckless motorist or by a neighborhood gossip.

New Piano For White House

Replaces Gold One Which Will Be Sent To Museum

President Roosevelt, in accepting a new piano for the White House, dedicated it to "the advancement of music in every city, town and hamlet in the country."

The presentation ceremony was conducted beneath the chandeliers in the East Room of the White House. Mrs. Roosevelt acted as mistress of ceremonies.

The new piano, replacing an old gold one which has been used since 1903, was given by Steingway & Sons, Theodore E. Steingway, making the presentation speech, said it was an expression of appreciation "by a family who arrived on these shores and was permitted to pursue its work and make a living in an atmosphere of friendliness."

Replying, the President said the old piano would be sent to the National Museum, where it would be "one of the heirlooms of the National government."

Calling attention to the legs of the new piano, carved in the shape of eagles Mr. Roosevelt said he thought "Art has at last caught up with ornithology," he said. "These eagles are eagles and the others (on the old piano) weren't."

Those Sun Spots

Cause Of Magnetic Storms And Interfere With Radio Reception

What influence sun-spots exert on us is due to particles discharged during the upward surge of gases which bombard the atmosphere surrounding the earth when they pass to space. Highly electrified, they are the cause of magnetic storms which make radios crackle with static. Attracted towards the poles they pass through the fringe of our atmosphere to create the peculiar spectacle of the aurora borealis. How vast they are, these spots which appear to us as mere smudges on the sun's face, can hardly be realized, for astronomers estimate the "funnels" often measure 50,000 miles across with the largest sun-spot observed having an area of 4,000 square miles.—Calgary Herald.

Giving Four Broadcasts

King George VI Will Speak Over Radio While In Canada

King George VI may be in Winnipeg on Victoria Day, May 24; the anniversary of his great-grandmother's birthday. A Winnipeg radio station may carry a historic message from His Majesty to the empire on that day.

Buckingham Palace authorities announced that the king hopes to make a radio broadcast to the Empire from Canada on May 24.

Commenting on the announcement, W. Brockington, chairman of the board of governors of the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation, said that the king would give four broadcasts in Canada, all over the CBC network.

A Useful Invention

A truck manufacturer has added to his line—and to his potential sales—by designing a "stair truck" with which one man can "walk" upstairs. The rear wheels of the truck are so constructed that they automatically proceed to the step above when the weight is shifted to the front wheels. The load is kept level.

The four-eyed minnow, found in rivers and lakes of tropical America, has an upper and lower eye on each side of its head.

Guadeloupe has placed a tax on all empty wooden barrels entering the country.

TWO SMART NIGHTIES FROM THIS

By Anne Adams



One's tailored, one's feminine—and both of these sweet nighties are ideal for gifts and your own wardrobe. Just think, you can catch up each in no time with the aid of Anne Adams New Pattern No. 4890. Take cozy flannellette, for instance, and make the long-sleeved, covered collar version—it's enough to make you "purrr" with warm delight! Then—this same style in pastel tulle satin for as dressy a nightgown as you'd want to see. The full-sleeved version with "sweetheart" neckline is equally pretty in plain or flowered synthetic or cotton! Don't you love the subtly raised waistline, held in expertly by a half-belt, and the front-closing bodice?

Pattern 4890 is available in misses' and women's sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32 and 34. Size 16 takes 4½ yards 36 inch fabric. Send twenty cents (20¢) in coins (stamps cannot be accepted) for this Anne Adams pattern. Write plainly: Size, Name, Address and Style Number and send order to the Anne Adams Pattern Dept., Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McBurnett Ave. E., Winnipeg.

Have Identical Titles

Many Composers Had Same Idea When Naming Musical Works

An astonishing number of musical works with identical titles have been written by different composers. The index of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, shows that "Lullaby" is the title of 721 pieces, "Romance" of 628, "Reverie" of 615, "Nocturne" of 548, "Barcarolle" of 498, "Memories" of 530, "Longing" of 313, "Maytime" of 291 and "Someday" of 190.

Usefulness Of Dust

Dust may be regarded as a plague in the west, but were it not for dust particles in the air, there'd be no sunsets, no clouds, no rain here on earth. Instead, blazing heat would pour out of the sky (whose colour would be black) and stars would be visible all day long as well as at night.

Exhibitors dealing with the life of Soviet children are being shown in Belgium.

Sun visors frequently are the source of automobile noises.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

JANUARY 1

PETER CALLED TO SERVE

Golden text: Come ye after me, and I will make you to become fishers of men. Mark 1:17.
Lesson: John 1:35-42; Luke 5:1-11.
Devotional reading: Isaiah 61-8.

Explanations And Comments

Peter Called to Follow Jesus, Luke 5:1-11. Although Peter had met and followed Jesus for a time, he had not given up his old vocation of fishing. Then came a day which Luke records when Jesus stood on the shore of the lake of Galilee (called also the Lake of Gennesaret) from the plain by that name) and saw near by two fishing boats whose owners, the two pairs of brothers, Peter and Andrew, James and John, were washing their nets to free them from the mud, weeds, and stone which had been brought up from the bottom of the lake. To escape from the jostling crowd he entered the boat belonging to Simon Peter and asked him to push off a short distance from the shore. Then from the boat he taught the throng of people on the shore. The clear, rippling water played gently round the boat, the fields and vineyards and olive groves behind the eager listeners with their varied and picturesque Eastern dress, the wondrous preacher, the calmness and delicious coolness of the morning, and over all the cloudless Syrian sky must have made a scene striking in the extreme.

When he had finished his talk Jesus turned to Peter and bade him launch out into the deep and let down his nets for a draught of fish. Peter was amazed at this order. He recalled a test it was of Peter's obedience Dr. F. B. Meyer shows: "The morning was no time for fishing; the glare of light revealed the meshes of the nets, and the fish were to be found not in the deep, but the shallow part of the lake. The whole of the fisherfolk that might see his boat putting out at such an hour, would have evidently regarded him as a fool for fishing, would laugh and count him crazy. 'Master,' cried Peter, 'we have toiled all night and have taken nothing.' Peter was an experienced fisherman; his Master must have been mad. He stood the test, and at once declared, 'Nevertheless, at thy word I will let down the net.' So great a catch was the result of his action that his net was in danger of breaking; and he called to his partners in the other boat, James and John, to come to him. They filled both boats with the fish, and Peter in great fear and astonishment fell at the feet of Jesus exclaiming, 'Depart from me, for I am a sinful man, O Lord.' It was an act so wonderful and kindly that Peter saw Jesus as he was, and seeing looked him in the face and said, 'Fear not, Simon,' he said, Jesus, 'from henceforth thou shalt catch men.' When Jesus and his partners had brought their boats to land, they left all and followed Jesus. They laid down their nets, forsook their boats and their fishing, the lake, the hills, and their peaceful homes, and suffered loneliness and privation; but the greatest of all privileges was to be theirs for they were to sit at his Master's feet and learn of him.

Welsh Village Being Sold

Legal Notice Served On Entire Population By Landlord

The entire population of Mynddall, a north Wales village, has been given notice to quit by its landlord, Lord Penrhyn.

A legal notice has been served on every one of the quiet, dark farm folk, and the whole village will be put under the auctioneer's hammer.

"It is intended to give the tenants the first opportunity to purchase their homes," a letter from a firm of Bangor auctioneers said.

Many fear that land and houses occupied by the same families for generations may be delivered by a crack of the auctioneer's hammer into the hands of property development companies.

Moscow, Russia, claims its new subway is the world's most beautiful.

Artificial rubber is to be manufactured in Poland by a new process.

Health LEAGUE OF CANADA presents TOPICS OF VITAL INTEREST by Dr. J. W. S. McCULLOUGH

MORE INVESTIGATION NEEDED

Facts presented by the Canadian Public Health Journal for November gained from a study of undulant fever in Edmonton, Alt., would appear to indicate the need of a more thorough investigation of this disease.

Very thorough report made by Dr. G. M. Little D.P.H., Medical Officer of Health, Edmonton, is the basis of the Journal's leading editorial in which it says:

"When the disease was first recognized in the United States, it was felt that in view of the widespread infection of dairy herds with contagious abortion and the wide use of raw milk many cases were reported. On the contrary, less than two hundred cases were reported last year. Several of the provinces did not report any cases. In the United States an increasing number of cases is being reported, indicating the growing attention to this problem. The number has increased from 112 in 1927 to 2497 last year. Knowledge of the incidence of the disease in Canada is meagre. The disease, being obtained largely through the diagnostic public health laboratories."

"In Canada, the information was obtained recently by Dr. E. Dolman in a study of brucellosis in and around Vancouver, where almost one-quarter of the milk supply is raw milk. Serological testing of whey and the isolation of Brucella abortus from a number of samples of raw milk indicated a high incidence of infection among the cattle. As a result of this investigation, fifteen cases of brucellosis were diagnosed and clinically confirmed. From the blood of nine of these patients Brucella abortus was isolated. In the Edmonton study, ten cases were reported in 1937 and January, 1938. These two studies are sufficient to indicate that a considerable number of cases of brucellosis occur and that frequently they are not diagnosed. There is evidence that Brucella infection may be chronic and that it may be responsible for much ill-health in which a diagnosis of neuritis or of often made or the illness attributed to some undetectable focus of infection. There is an urgent need of a more thorough investigation of chronic brucellosis as well as of the disease in its acute form. There may be chronic and the knowledge of the epidemiology of the disease and the control facts are established; namely, that a very considerable amount of illness, largely undiagnosed, is due to Brucella abortus and that the bulk of this illness is due to the consumption of raw milk. Pasture inspection is the only effective means for eliminating this unnecessary volume of sickness."

Editorial Note: Readers desiring the complete set of Dr. McCullough's series of articles on health may secure same by writing to: The Health League of Canada, 105 Bond St., Toronto, Ont.

Discards His Regalia

Quebec Indian Wears Civilian Clothes On London Streets

Prince Poking Fire, snowshoe runner and hurdler from Caughnawaga, Que., had a hard time in London keeping his identity from small boys.

He ditched his Indian regalia at Earl's Court, where he took part in "Winter Cavalcade," an indoor snow sports meet, and wore a lounge suit and Fedora hat on the streets.

He had enough of small boys in New York last year, he said. They followed him around the streets asking how many men he had scalped. He got pretty tired of it.

Poking Fire put on all his regalia for the cavalcade shows, a bonnet with 38 eagle feathers in it, buckskin shirt, necklace of snake bones, turtle shells and bird claws and carried a tomahawk. Most of the regalia belonged to his great grandfather.

Englishmen who expected him to grunt and look severe were surprised that he talked freely and grinned a lot.

His Crowning Triumph

Anthony Eden has been showered with a lot of attention in his time, but had to come to America for his crowning triumph—the brucellosis announcement in New York newspapers that his breakfast one morning consisted of a double order of orange juice, scrambled eggs, rolls and coffee.

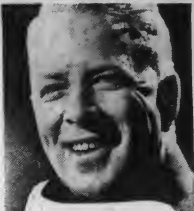
Each year some 25,000,000 common pins are manufactured in the U.S.—and presumably lost or thrown away.

Italy's frontier consists of 1,200 miles of land and over 5,000 miles of coast.

ALSACE LORRAINE CELEBRATES TWENTY YEARS AFTER



The twentieth anniversary of the liberation of Alsace and Lorraine from German rule was celebrated throughout the frontier provinces recently. Monsieur Chauteaup, Vice-President of the Council and Minister for Alsatian Affairs in the French Government, represented the Cabinet at Colmar with Marshal Petain went to Metz. Our picture shows General de Castelnau speaking at the banquet in Colmar. On his left is the Mayor of Colmar, Monsieur Chauteaup.



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CHAPTER X.—Continued

For the first time in his life, Jack heard Jack stammer. Then she began to rage, her clenched hands extended. But Jeanne turned out in with:

"Sit! I give you the hours, days and dates? And perhaps you sneak out at nights just for the exercise? In your pajamas?"

"Jack!" Jack tried appeal. "Are you going to believe this wretched little liar? If you only knew—"

"He knows," Jeanne cut in, "if you're referring to my life with Lew Snade."

"Kay," the man interrupted, dazed, "has all this been just a game with you?" He was groping, like a man staggering to his feet after unconsciousness. "You've been just playing me—you never intended to marry me? Just holding me at arm's length—"

"Men are easier to handle that way," Jeanne supplied.

"You should know?" Kay was pacing. Her eyes glared; her usually smooth hair was in disarray.

"I couldn't help watching you." Anger conquered Kay completely.

"Think what you please, both of you," she exploded. "If her word means so much to you—go ahead—only don't come to me with it!"

A queer laugh passed over her thin drawn lips. Thank God for one thing, I won't have you pining me any more—this is a consolation."

"Kay!"

"Don't speak to me! she shot at him. "You've got your own information bureau here—talk to her!"

"And you know it's the right information," Jeanne insisted.

"You've cooked it up—every word of it!"

"Then why do you admit it?" The Northern girl advanced a step toward the veranda. "Call out Mrs. Carewe. She's tired of her job; she won't be afraid to answer questions. She'll tell you how many times she's seen you go over to Bruce Kenning's—nights when she couldn't sleep and watched you—"

"Oh, the cook's word."

"A good woman's word! If she had only come to me before McKenzie Joe left, Kenning never would have gotten his hands on that property!"

Kay straightened. White-featured, her hands half extended as though they longed to claw the brown eyes of the woman who accused her, she stood a moment transfixed with anger.

"But he's got it!" she snapped at last. "And what are you going to do about it?"

She whirled. The door slammed. Jack and Jeanne stood alone in the deepening night.

"I'm going to find Bruce Kenning," he said, abruptly. "This time I'd better see him alone."

She begged him to wait for morning; Jack countered with hastily framed excuses. At last he was alone, moving through the shadows toward McKenzie Joe's last shift, progressing more by instinct than by direction.

Mentality had concentrated upon a sequence of events which now were becoming horribly, truthfully clear.

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one answered his knock. Looming the leather latch, he walked through, stumbling about the two rooms. Kenning was not there. At last the lights of Whoopie lured him.

He did not find the man. Gamekeepers merely stared at his question or said they hadn't seen him.

Hammond took it for what it was worth; a good gamester leaves the giving of information to the proprietor. Dullied by mental fatigue, Hammond at last approached the

bar again, the gold with which he strolled through a doorway and edged beside him, an elbow on the mahogany, a well-shoot foot on the brass rail.

"Well, Prospector," she queried, "celebrating?"

"If you want to call it that, I'm looking for Bruce Kenning."

"If you find him, tell me," came caustically. "I'm still wondering if that guy pulled a fast one on me."

"Was he here tonight?"

"Was he here?" asked Around the World Annie. "He came in like a fire alarm. That guy's nuts on the table."

He couldn't get to the table fast enough. Had a lot of gold on him. Making bets like a crazy man. "Who won?"

Around the World Annie pressed her lips.

"Am I running a charity bazaar?" she queried. Answering her own question, "Come to think of it, I guess I am. He didn't make a good bet but all right. Then he began getting chips on tick. Say," she exclaimed, "he was into me for ten thousand berries of borrowed money before I could tell him I didn't lend to gamblers. I'm giving you the facts. Fine chance I've got to get it back."

"Oh, he can pay it. He's got the money."

"Yeh?" Annie became more heartened. "You know, I've been wondering if it wasn't a gag. This little rat of a Lew Snade comes in just when we're arguing—"

"If I thought he worked for you."

"Snade? He did. Until I fired him for stealing. Tonight, he has all existed. He rushed up to Kenning and whispered something, and Kenning started to beat it. But I wouldn't let him go, not without some security on that loan. That's when he pulled the fast one. He yelled for a pen and signed his name for me and passed over the damned thing and said he'd be back tomorrow morning to make it good—square up. And was sap enough to let him leave!"

"Passed over what?"

"A check or a note or something. Got it upstairs in the cash box; probably isn't worth the paper it's written on." Annie sighed. "Oh, well, I ain't really out any dough. He owes me ten thousand bucks, but it was for chips that are all back in the racks now, sevin' he lost as fast as he borrowed."

Hammond changed the subject. "You don't happen to know where this Lew Snade lives?"

Around the World Annie screwed up her emerald face.

"Well, now let's see if I can tell you how to get there. Know that trail that leads off to the left after you've well along toward Sapphire?"

A half hour later, Jack Hammond crept slowly forward toward the little cabin set deep in the forest. For a moment, he left the trail, in hiding, yet watchful. The door had opened, revealing Lew Snade who paused to say something to a trembling, occupant, then hurried out along the trail; Hammond could have touched him as he passed. Jack waited long minutes after that. Then he moved slowly, carefully, through the tangled undergrowth until he could look into the candle-lit cabin. A glance assured him; he ran for the door.

A kick and it flew open. Across the room, white-faced, hastily pulling a chair before him, as if for defense, was Bruce Kenning.

There was a moment of glowering survey. Neither spoke; there was no sound in fact, save the queer, blastlike sounds of heavy breathing.

Then Jack Hammond flexed the muscles of his heavy shoulders. His head set, a peculiar forward attitude, brows lowered over watchful eyes, slowly, deliberately, he started.

Suddenly he dodged. A queer cry came from Kenning's throat, as though restraint had broken under the pressure of tenacity. His hands had tightened about the back of the chair; suddenly he raised it and threw it with all his strength. Hammond moved only enough to allow it to go harmlessly past, clattering against the opposite wall, Kenning

grinned, his lips pulling back from parted teeth.

"Well, say something!" he broke forth. "Starting at me like that—"

The answer was only a low rumble of hate. Kenning trembled dazedly, as if seeking escape. But Jack Hammond was between him and the door, still coming forward slowly as if he took joy in this creeping approach.

Yet, he knew he was not going into an easy battle. They were matched men, in height, weight and agility. One was fired with revenge, the other burned with desperation.

Foot by foot, Hammond went on. Then suddenly, they met in slugging combat.

There was little science. What boxing ability they might have possessed had been overwhelmed by rage; now Hammond bored in with a series of straight-arm punches which drove his antagonist, gasping, to the wall. But there, Bruce Kenning took his own strength. Now it was he who lunged forward, open to the blinding thrusts of his enemy's fists, swung blow after blow against Hammond face and head.

Suddenly Hammond began to use strategy, staggering, pretending to fall at the knees. Kenning shouted and rushed him.

Instantly, Hammond leaped aside and thrusting forth a leg, tripped the other man off balance. Then the prospector was on him, catching him with one arm about his neck, and sending his free fist against Kenning's face with a crashing force which seemed to drive his knuckles into his wrist bones. Kenning winced. He cried out, Hammond, gasping for breath, allowed a grunt of triumph to pass his lips. This was joy—to hear an evidence of pain and suffering. Desperately the geologist strove to turn in the other man's grasp; slowly he began to succeed. Now, in better position for defense, he began a series of attacks upon Hammond's midriff; the prospector retaliated by driving blow after blow against the other man's face until his hands were slimy.

They had begun to tire, staggering from the punches losing some of their power. At last, Kenning gave up his attempts to knock the other man out by body punches; soon he ceased striking entirely, and clasping Hammond tight, tried to wrestle him from his feet.

A blood-matted pair, they crashed from one end of the room to the other, throwing each other clear, rushing together again, arms flailing, only to elude and struggle, striving desperately to kick, to bite, to claw. At some of the fiercest had become lost. Now this was a struggle between two great animals, each enduring great suffering, but content if he could give a little more than he received. At last the geologist, who stumbled and sprawled to the floor, rolling madly for the advantage. By a tremendous effort, Hammond forced the geologist beneath him, and legs tight gripped about his chest, straightened for the onslaught of blows that would bring unconsciousness.

A sound came from behind him, like a door opening. Jack gave it no attention. But suddenly, aware of clattering boots on the rough floor, he tried to turn. Now he saw Lew Snade, sitting at the pile of discarded stove. Snade had a stick in his hand; he ran forward, both hands clenching the weapon—

The pain of the blow lasted only an instant, a shattering, horrible feeling, as though his brain had been separated from his body. His eyes seemed to split with the flash of blinding lights, only as quickly to be smothered in darkness.

Kenning rolled clear and was staggering to his feet. He stumbled forward, his legs dazedly down at the motionless form of Jack Hammond. Then, with a hand fumbling weakly at his swollen mouth, he glanced slowly about him.

"See if there's still a fire in that stove."

Lew Snade crossed the room.

"Yeh. There's some coals left."

"Let's dump them out on the floor."

"What for?"

"If the place burns down, nobody'll know who was in it—those skeletons it is," came thickly.

Lew Snade looked up.

"They'll know it isn't me—I'm around."

"Yeh, you'll have to hide out."

He stared impatiently. "Well, hurry! Scrape those coals out on the floor. And put some kindling and wood on that stove."

He stood feeling while Lew Snade stared at him. His brain was gone. Bruce Kenning was foggy, mentally inert. At last, they turned for the door. Kenning looked back at the smoking bed of coals from which small flames were beginning to char.

He turned back, his head bent, his eyes closed. Then he glanced toward the still form of Jack Hammond.

"His chest's moving!" Lew Snade said. "He ain't dead—"

Kenning straightened groggily. Again he rubbed his hands over swollen eyes.

"He will be," came thickly, as he pushed Lew Snade through the door. Long minutes passed. The tiny flames grew into larger ones, the white, clean wood became discolored, suddenly to break into yellow light.

Finally, a bluish lick of fire began to make its way along the floor, inflammable from the spattered grease of cooking. A quarter of an hour passed. A window had cracked from the heat of crawling flame, following upward along the edges of protruding logs. The air had become suffocating.

Perhaps it was this which at last caused Jack Hammond to stir. That was all, for a moment, merely a loose, disjointed movement of the legs, a clutched of the hands, which soon flamed away. Then the movement came again, the arms rose, moving toward his head, only to aimlessly fall. The man groaned. The fire licked closer; it now was beginning to write along the cross-beams.

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British Royal Air Force

Most Formidable in Europe Opinion of U.S. Military Expert

A United States military expert said Germany had made its air force "an instrument of international blackmail" by multiplying the capacity of its aircraft factories.

George Fielding Elliot, former major in the army's intelligence reserve, writing for the Foreign Policy Association, expressed belief Reichsfuhrer Hitler bargained at the Munich conference with fewer than 3,000 first planes. He said it was difficult to believe a report Germany had 10,000 planes.

Rather, Elliot contended, Germany contrived to gain superiority over Great Britain and France in the air by its industrial readiness to turn out aerial replacements at the rate of thousands monthly.

Great Britain's air force, Elliot said, "all things considered, is probably the most formidable air arm in Europe—at the outset of any war."

"It's weakness lies in the inability of British industry, without more controls, to replace its planes as rapidly as the integrated German industry can replace German losses."

Largest Peal Of Bells

Liverpool Cathedral To Have Heaviest In The World

Preparations are now complete for the casting of a Liverpool tenor bell for Liverpool Cathedral at the ancient church bell foundry in Whitechapel.

The complete peal of 13 bells, dwindling from the tenor to a treble of 10, will weigh nearly 17 tons, the heaviest ringing peal of bells in the world. The present heaviest ring is at Exeter Cathedral, followed by those at St. Paul's Cathedral and York Minster.

The Whitechapel foundry, which was established near its present site in 1570, has also been ordered to make Liverpool Cathedral's bourdon bell, which will weigh 14½ tons. This will be second only to the heaviest bell in the world, 16½ tons, "Great Paul" of St. Paul's Cathedral, and will be cast in the same pit in which 50 years ago the foundry cast "Big Ben," which weighs about 13½ tons.—London Sunday Times.

Just As He Learned It

Chinese Student Anxious To Excel In American Etiquette

Nothing, it has often been said, equals the courtesy of the Oriental. To his host and his guests, the Chinese Chinaman, in particular, adds a laudable diligence to the learning of customs in the country to which he comes. It was not surprising, then, that a Chinese student at the University of Michigan had recently devoted himself to the study of American etiquette.

Having picked up the fundamentals, he found himself at a tea party in the home of one of the professors. One of the lady guests passed him a plate. The student bowed, smiled and pronounced: "Thank you, sir or madam, as the case may be."

Rather Confusing

A black sheep, it appears, isn't black. John Cooper, director of a sheep experimental laboratory on the Navajo Indian reservation at Fort Wingate, N.M., advised the U.S. Federal Indian Bureau that a black sheep's wool is a gray shade and sometimes turns to brown in rugs.

Almost any wild animal will hesitate at attack if you pick up a stone and make a pretense of throwing it, jungle explorers have found.

It has reached a point where the cynic observes that they serve everything now on a leaf of lettuce except a subpoena.

Caviar is being given to undernourished children in Russia as a cure for rickets.

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Not Tops In Everyway

B.C. Maple Leaves Are Largest But Lack Brilliant Coloring

A Vancouver girl and a Cowichan girl submitted the largest maple leaves in the contest held by the Canadian Travel Bureau and the two railways. The Vancouver girl was first, with a leaf which had a surface of 249 square inches. The leaf from Cowichan was only an inch smaller.

The prize for the biggest maple leaf always comes to British Columbia. No other province has a chance. Most of them produce leaves, but none that can produce leaves comparable in size to those of the forest majesties of British Columbia.

When it comes to other qualities, however, the British Columbia maple does not stand up so well. We have no maple sugar industry. Our maple is not very useful for lumber, while the eastern maple is used extensively for flooring and for furniture.

The eastern leaves, too, always carry off the prize for color. Our vine makes a brave showing in the early Autumn, and is ably seconded by the dogwood. But these two species together can not produce the hillside all ablaze that are the Autumn glory of Eastern Canada and of Japan.—Vancouver Province.

Due To Athletics

Present Generation Of Boys And Girls Definitely Bigger

Boys and girls are getting bigger and fitter. Recent measurements of thousands of school children prove that the present generation is producing deeper-chested, longer-limbed, and more athletically built boys and girls.

The girls in particular display grown-up characteristics at an earlier age.

This means that children need larger sizes of clothes, hats and shoes, and more roomy desks in schools.

Hygienic experts point to the exercises encouraged in schools, milk rations, and healthier clothing as contributory causes.

Investigations by a firm of boys outfitters led to this discovery of the new and fitter type which now prevails.

Now that much greater interest is being shown in the physical welfare of children it is likely that censuses will be made regularly year by year, with the co-operation of educational authorities.

Prefer Plain Cooking

Britain's King And Queen Not Fond Of Elaborate Foods

Many a person thinking up Christmas dinner plans on a meal fit for a king.

But, says W. L. Clarke, in the Windsor Star, when speaking of a meal fit for a king, it is a modest repast when it is the ordinary menu for the King and Queen when they eat alone.

For instance, luncheon is their favorite meal. It usually consists of salmon, lamb or venison and strawberries in season.

Their Majesties like good food, but they prefer plain cooking.

Thinks Canadians Lucky

Freedom Of Speech And Living Conditions Wonderful Says European Singer

"The people of Canada are as spoiled they don't know how lucky they are," according to Olga Kondakova, European coloratura soprano, who arrived in Toronto lately from Italy.

"Why, here people even laugh at the radio stations. They say what they like about government officials and eat like kings. In Italy, where I have spent most of the past four years, even high government officials do not get such good food as the average Canadian working-man."

The English language is taught in every high school in Japan, even in the rural districts.

A Rumanian has more gypsies than any other country in the world.

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Local News

Mr. Archie Malcolm, of Lethbridge, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Rogers during Christmas day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Blain and son are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nash during the holidays.

Miss Carman Beck, student at Pincher Creek convent, is spending the Xmas holidays at Star Creek Fox ranch.

Miss Pearl McDonald, of Calgary, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hector McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Smith, of Lethbridge, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Derbyshire during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Morgan and family, of Pincher Creek, were the Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Haysom.

Mr. Stan Connors, of the R. C. M. P. division at Medicine Hat, spent the Christmas holidays visiting friends in the Pass.

The only service at St. Alban's church on New Year's Day will be at 9 a.m. choral eucharist and sermon.

Miss Kay Kilgannon, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce staff, Calgary, spent the Christmas holidays with her mother here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Celli, of Creston, were visitors in town during the week-end, the guests of their son Floyd, of the Palm Confectionery.

The bursting of one of the main air-pipes at McGillivray mine this morning caused almost half of the miners to be sent home.

Mr. Wm. Fraser travelled with Canadians around the circuit last week. While in Edmonton he was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Ed. Bernard, and Mr. Bernard.

Miss Gwen Dunlop spent the Christmas holidays with her parents here, leaving Monday for Calgary where she is a student at Garbutt's Business College.

Calgary Normal students who are spending the Christmas holidays at their homes here are the Misses Ruth Sudworth, Virginia Janostak, Nora Easton. Alberta University students include Alwyn Haysom, Dave Jones, Elie D'Appolonia Alan Short, Jos. D'Andrea and Wilfred Hoyle.

Pete De Groot, formerly of Pincher Creek district, announces in this issue the taking over of the Gudmundson Dairy, for many years carried on here by Mr. and Mrs. Eric Gudmundson, who express their appreciation of past business, and bespeak for their successor the same loyal support given them.

Notice of Change of Business

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Gudmundson takes this opportunity of thanking all who have been customers of their dairy for several years, and bespeak for their successor, Mr. Pete De Groot, the same friendly support given them. Mr. De Groot is an experienced dairyman and will give good service to customers.

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FIRST COMPANY GIRL GUIDES

The First Company has been working hard since October. If you see the girls standing staring at the sky do not be alarmed—it will just be the girls of the "First Class" section studying compass and stars. The Morse code is being studied by the Second Class Guides and bed-making is causing the Tenderfoot section some worry.

On Sunday, Dec. 18, the company, as such, attended the evening service at St. Alban's church. The standard bearers, Pat Emmerson and Thelma Williams, presented the flags at the beginning of the service, and received them from Rev. Mr. Hague at its close.

On Monday, Dec. 19, the Second Company entertained the First Company at their hall. Bingo and many other games were played, each girl winning a prize. Singing of carols, and lunch, brought the evening to a close. A decorated tree gave the seasonal touch to the party.

There will be no meetings for the next two weeks, but Jan. 9 will open the New Year for Company meetings.

THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT

As The Journal staff, in common with the rest of the people, has taken time off during the holiday season, you know that every line of the hymn work on the paper is curtailed this "Jesus Lover of my Soul" has a separate and definite Bible reference? A few of these are: 2nd line, Let me to Thy Bosom fly, John 13:23; 3rd

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We wish you a Happy New Year, and trust that you will be pleased with our service.

Pete De Groot, Proprietor

St. Paul's Church Auxiliary Hold Interesting Meeting

On Thursday, Dec. 15, at the home of Mrs. C. Rose, the members of the Evening Auxiliary of St. Paul's United church were hostesses to the ladies of the Missionary Society.

As this was the last meeting of the year, it was necessary to hold election of officers. The following were elected: Miss Margaret E. Dunlop, president; Mrs. F. H. Graham, vice-president; Miss Margaret M. Allan, secretary, and Miss Jean McDonald, treasurer.

The roll call proved unusually interesting. The members told of "Hymns and their Authors." Did time off during the holiday season, you know that every line of the hymn work on the paper is curtailed this "Jesus Lover of my Soul" has a separate and definite Bible reference? A few of these are: 2nd line, Let me to Thy Bosom fly, John 13:23; 3rd

line, While the nearer waters roll, Psalm 69:2; 4th line, While the tempest still is high, Psalm 55:8.

The main event of the meeting was a talk by Dr. Rose, when he told of his experiences, some years ago, as a young teacher at Norway House, one of the oldest mission schools in Canada. It was very interesting to hear how such things as travel and educational system have changed in the last few years. It seems almost unbelievable that during the winter of 1916-17, mail was only received once between October and April—on Christmas Eve. With the war just half way through, the people in these settlements must have longed for news from the outside world. Now an aeroplane takes the mail "in" several times a week.

Lunch was served at the close of the meeting.

The next meeting, at the home of Miss M. E. Dunlop, will be held on Thursday, Jan. 26, at 7:30 p.m.

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